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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence  
Deputy Director of Central Intelligence

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THROUGH : Director for Intelligence [redacted]  
Director, Office of Current Production  
& Analytic Support  
Chief, Intelligence Liaison Staff

FROM : [redacted]  
CIA Representative Designate to CINCPAC

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SUBJECT : Headquarters Visit of Admiral William J. Crowe,  
CINCPAC Designate

1. Action. Request that the DCI meet with Admiral Crowe on 7 June 1983, at 1130 hours. Bob Gates, [redacted] will attend, along with Admiral Crowe's aide, Commander Glutting, and myself. Request that the DDCI host a luncheon for Admiral Crowe on 7 June 1983, at 1230 hours. Attendees will include Commander Glutting, Harry Rowen, who knows the Admiral, [redacted] Clair George, and myself.

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2. Background. The outgoing CINCPAC, Admiral Long, recommended to Admiral Crowe that he visit CIA Headquarters to meet Mr. Casey and to receive briefings from some of our senior officers. The briefings are being arranged for the morning of the 7 June. Both Admiral Crowe and Commander Glutting have SI/TK clearances.

3. The visit and the briefings will go far toward emphasizing the importance you have attached to CIA's relationship with the military commands, and will also be extremely helpful to me as the outgoing representative to CINCPAC.

4. The purpose of this memorandum is to confirm the arrangements that have already been made.

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Attachments:

- A. Biographic Data/Admiral Crowe
- B. Talking Points

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## ADMIRAL WILLIAM JAMES CROWE, JR., U.S. NAVY

Admiral William J. Crowe, Jr. was born in La Grange, Kentucky, on 2 January 1925. He graduated from the United States Naval Academy in the class of 1947. His academic achievements include a Master of Arts in Personnel Administration and Training from Stanford University and a Doctorate in Political Science from Princeton University.

After receiving his commission he served in USS CARNICK (DMS-33). In June 1948 he entered the Naval Submarine School, New London, Connecticut. He qualified in submarines on 31 March 1950 in USS FLYING FISH (SS-229). Following his tour in FLYING FISH, he served as Flag Lieutenant and Aide to the Commander, Submarine Force, U.S. Atlantic Fleet. He was assigned to USS CLAMAGORE (SS-343) from 1952-1954 and as Assistant to the Naval Aide to the President of the United States from 1954-1955. He served as Executive Officer of USS WAHOO (SS-565) and Commanding Officer of USS TROUT (SS-566) prior to assignment as Commander Submarine Division THIRTY-ONE.

Significant shore assignments prior to attaining Flag rank included Administrative Assistant and Personal Aide to the Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Plans and Policy); Director of East Asia and Pacific Branch, Politico-Military Division, Office of the Chief of Naval Operations; Senior U.S. Advisor to the Vietnamese Navy Riverine Force, Republic of Vietnam; and Director of the Office for Micronesian Status Negotiations, Department of the Interior.

After promotion to Rear Admiral in June 1974, he reported as Deputy Director, Strategic Plans, Policy, Nuclear Systems and National Security Affairs Division, Office of the Chief of Naval Operations. From January 1975 to June 1976, he served as Director, East Asia and Pacific Region, Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense (International Security Affairs). On 30 June 1976, he assumed duties as Commander Middle East Force, a command held until July 1977. On 23 August 1977, he was promoted to Vice Admiral and assigned as Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Plans, Policy and Operations). On 30 May 1980 he was promoted to Admiral and reported as Commander in Chief, Allied Forces Southern Europe.

During his naval career, Admiral Crowe has been awarded varied personal and unit decorations. Among these are the Distinguished Service Medal, two Legions of Merit, Bronze Star with Combat "V", seven Air Medals, Navy Unit Commendation, Vietnamese Gallantry Cross with Palm, and the Vietnamese Navy Distinguished Service Order.

Admiral Crowe is married to the former Shirley Grennell of Okeene, Oklahoma. They have three children: Blake, Brent and Bambi.

DCI  
Talking Points  
for  
Admiral William J. Crowe, CINCPAC Designate

1. CIA-Military Relationship

- a. Steps taken to improve CIA relations with senior military commanders.
- Key judgments cables sent in advance of hard copy distribution.
  - Responsibility of CIA Representative for channeling requests for specific assistance.
  - Your visits to senior military commands

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